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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): K. Koroyasu, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/083,546

Filed: February 27, 2002

For: PLASMA PROCESSING APPARATUS, PROTECTING LAYER  
THEREFOR AND INSTALLATION OF PROTECTING LAYER

Group: 1763

Examiner: P. Hassanzadeh

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

October 14, 2004

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, Applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit filing a response within the third month subsequent to expiration of the shortened statutory period set in the outstanding Office Action mailed April 14, 2004. A Credit Card Payment Form including the amount of \$980.00 to cover the required fee for the requested extension of time is attached hereto.

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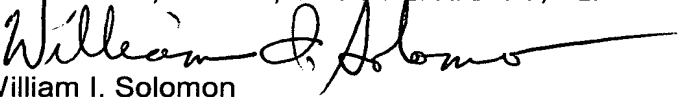
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It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Account No. 01-2135 (Case No. 500.41279X00).

Respectfully submitted,

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